

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the application of	)	
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Milliken et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2152
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Application No.: 10/654,771	)	Examiner: Chang, Julian
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Filed: 09/04/2003	)	Attorney Docket No.
	)	SVIPGP085
For: HASH-BASED SYSTEMS AND	)	
METHODS FOR DETECTING AND	)	Date: September 22, 2008
PREVENTING TRANSMISSION OF	)	
UNWANTED E-MAIL	)	

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 22, 2008, please consider the following remarks.